

The Weekly Argus.

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THE ARGUS seeks to be a reliable paper for the people and the family Democratic, and bearing to discuss no issue wherein the people's rights are at stake. Progressive, abreast of the age, we shall always endeavor to keep our editorial and local columns up to the day and hour. Our circulation is rapidly increasing, and we hope to soon have the largest circulation any paper in Eastern North Carolina.

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DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

FOR PRESIDENT:
GROVER CLEVELAND,
of New York.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT:
A. E. STEVENSON,
of Illinois.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR:
ELIAS CARR,
of Edgecombe.

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR:
R. A. DOUGHTON,
of Albemarle.

For Secretary of State:
OCTAVIUS COKE,
of Wake.

For Treasurer:
DONALD W. BAIN,
of Wake.

For Auditor:
R. M. FURMAN,
of Buncombe.

For Superintendent Public Instruction:
J. C. SCARBOROUGH,
of Johnston.

For Attorney-General:
FRANK L. OSBORNE,
of Mecklenburg.

For Judge of the Twelfth District:
GEORGE A. SHUFORD.

For electors at large:
CHARLES B. AYCOCK,
ROBERT B. GLENN,

For Congress, Second District,
F. A. WOODARD,
of Wilson.

VERILY-VERILY.

Yes, verily, the Third party movement is not as strong to-day in the country at large as it was some months ago, and unless all signs fail it is going into a rapid decline here in the South.

Such is the best information that comes from Georgia, where only a few months ago the Third parties were remarkably strong and where to-day not even their most sanguine adherents believe they stand even a ghost of a show in either the Presidential or Congressional elections.

Take Arkansas, as a fair illustration! Here we have a practical test. A State election was held there Monday last, and the Third parties had what they claimed was a strong ticket in the field. What was the result? The more the returns come in the better they get for the triumphant Democracy. At first the plurality for Fishback, the regular Democratic candidate for Governor, was estimated at 25,000; the later accounts place it at nearer 50,000. The Democrats won not only a decisive, but an overwhelming victory.

Weaver and Field made the most strenuous efforts to divide the Democracy of the State by going there and personally speaking in the interest of Third parties. Both were apparently sanguine of success, and claimed that they had the popular ear and the popular sympathy, and that they were bound to win. And yet they were completely overwhelmed, and apparently made no impression on the people.

The causes of this signal Democratic victory in Arkansas are not difficult to discover. The white men of the State were evidently alive to the fact that a fusion with the Third parties meant nothing more nor less than the Republican success and a restoration of the terrible days of carpet-bagging, a return of the scalawag and of negro office-holding. They have evidently not yet forgotten their experience in the days of reconstruction, when Federal troops were sent to the State and took possession of her Legislature, ousting by force legally elected representatives of the people and installing in their places Republican minions. They, therefore, had a horror of a revival of that era of military

and negro supremacy, and so they stuck by the old Democratic party, through whose efforts they were released from the bondage in which they were held, and again assured the blessings of personal freedom and home rule. They have prospered and been happy under white control, and knowing that under the laws of force to which they would be again subjected should the Republicans succeed in getting possession of the country, they determined to take no risks of such a catastrophe by affiliating with the Third party or any other annex to Radicalism.

This Arkansas election left no longer doubt about the solidity of the South. Tell us then that North Carolina is liable to go for Weaver and his Republican allies? Never; the white men of North Carolina will never vote the conglomerated ticket.

Mr. Marion Butler may bring his Weavers and his Fields and all the other great generals to North Carolina, but their efforts to betray the white people of North Carolina into the hands of Republicanism, with all the horrors of Reconstruction and the Force bill can never succeed.

God forbid!

TRAIN'D WOMEN NURSES.

Time was when professional nurses among women were discounted; but now, such advance has this profession made—and so high has it been elevated—that it is recognized, and justly, too, as one of the noblest professions, abreast of the pulpit, the medical profession and the law, and in its ranks may be found members of the best, wealthiest and most aristocratic families in the land.

Such progress has this profession made in popular favor that it has even invaded the staid New England States and is recognized with favor in prim Boston, herself. We see from our New England exchanges that the first training school for nurses in New England was opened on Monday, Sept. 5, at Carney Hospital, South Boston. It begins with seven students, carefully chosen, and altogether promising, as the pioneers in any notable movement should be. But from this modest beginning, a great and beneficent institution will surely develop.

In his impressive address at the opening of the school, Dr. Miles Standish dwelt on the noble career of Carney Hospital and the special advantages the students within its walls will enjoy. It is famed in medical circles for its progressive spirit, so many of the important discoveries and improved methods in medicine have been made within its walls. Names great and honored in medicine have been associated with Carney Hospital from the beginning. Dr. Standish mentioned with especial affection and reverence the name of Dr. Henry I. Bowditch.

Here, too, can the students gain a wide experience, for the patients are of all ages, ranks and conditions. Dr. Standish reminded his young hearers that though the career they were preparing for is both honorable and lucrative, yet, to attain the best success in it, they must have higher standards than most worldly honors or financial gain.

As we said in the beginning, time was, and not so long ago, when the occupation of professional nurses was deservedly low in popular esteem. Dickens was not making caricatures when he gave us Betsey Prig and Sairey Gamp. The old-time nurses were too often, as Dr. Standish puts it, slovenly, careless, intemperate and hard-hearted.

Medical science advances and makes larger and larger demands upon the skill and knowledge of the nurse. Nursing is raised almost to the dignity of a profession; with its field in homes as well as in hospitals, and its recruits are very largely women who go into the work in the spirit of a broad and noble philanthropy—for sweet charity's sake.

It was for these especially that Dr. Standish drew this portrait of the ideal nurse:

"Something in addition to the kindness of heart, and good intentions, purity of life, temperance and the love of God is required of the ideal nurse. It is necessary that she should be able to take a temperature to the tenth of a degree, that she should know what that temperature may mean, enough to act intelligently upon obtaining the knowledge unexpectedly; that she should appreciate the fact that to wash up a sponge antiseptically, and then drop it on

the floor or place it in some convenient receptacle near by, is a mortal sin (medically speaking), and may cost a fellow creature his life. She should know when the surgeon's protective bandage is germ-proof and when it has become vulnerable; what acts on the part of the patient would invalidate the physician's science; and that many a death has come from some trivial deed. All these things and many more she must know, in order to become not only the physician's right hand, but also his left in his absence. In fact, she must be his scientific lieutenant, always in command during his absence, with a knowledge of what to do in an emergency, but in the absence of an emergency, his willing, faithful executive officer, who does as he bids, and does not lightly assume authority not delegated to her."

Young women have already graduated from various training schools in New York and elsewhere, and are distinguishing themselves in this eminently suitable and beneficent among the careers open to women. But we rejoice at the formal incentive to greater numbers and success in the field of so noble and ennobling a vocation.

Will Maine Falter?

All eyes are turned to Maine to-day, where Governor, State officers, Legislature and Congressmen will be elected, and the Legislature chosen will elect the successor to Senator Hale.

With the single exception of 1880, when the Greenback craze was in its zenith and a fusion with the Democrats on State officials unsettled parties, Maine has given the Republicans inspiration by September majorities in national contests. The following was the vote for Governor in 1884 and in 1888:

GOVERNOR—1884	GOVERNOR—1888
Republican 79,912	Republican 79,405
Democratic 19,061	Democratic 61,349

Rep. maj 19,851 Rep. maj 18,056

The battle in Maine has been one of unusual earnestness on both sides. It is accepted by the Republican leaders that if Maine should send out her old party majority to-day, it would retrieve the Vermont failure and inspire the party with confidence throughout the whole country. It is admitted that if Maine shall repeat the slump of Vermont by a greatly reduced majority to-day, it must be an uphill battle for Harrison from this time until November.

It is not doubted that the whole Republican State and Congressional tickets will be elected in Maine to-day; but Maine, like Vermont, has a national duty to perform in September. Her Presidential battle is fought out at the State election, while the November contest goes practically by default, and a large Republican majority must be given to-day or it must be noticed to the whole country that New England is in revolt against the policy of the party. It once delighted to give the unanimous vote of its States, and by immense majorities.

The fact that since Vermont sent a cold chill all along the Republican line, the Maine leaders have given out in advance an official apology for a reduced party majority, is the strongest indication of a possible failure to maintain the old-time Republican majority to-day. The party that explains failure in advance of failure, either confesses practical defeat or hopes to swell the chorus of victory by rolling up a majority in excess of party claim; but chairman Manley's advance explanation of a probable loss of from 8,000 to 10,000 of the regular majority, bears every ear-mark of sad sincerity. It is quite probable, therefore, that there will be another slump in Maine to-day to keep step with the Vermont disaster—Philadelphia Times.

STATE NEWS.

Winston Sentinel: L. W. Scoville assumed management of the Hotel Zimendorf at noon to-day. Mr. Scoville was formerly of Lynchburg, Va., his native place. He had been connected with the Kimball House (old and new) at Atlanta, Duval and Everett at Jacksonville and other Florida houses.

A strapping young fellow appeared before the committee of inspection, says the Paris Figaro.

You claim exemption from military service? inquired the president officer.

Yes, sir.

On what grounds?

I am subject to a most serious affliction.

Step into the next room.

But, sir—

Step into the next room!

Why, it isn't—

Step into the next room!

Our man entered the adjoining apartment, where he was to undergo from head to foot, after which he presented himself again before the committee, this time sans coat, sans vest, sans everything.

Officer:—Will you tell us what is your infirmity?

Recruit—I am short-sighted!

THE DOUBLE STORE

—OF—
Best & Thompson
Is Now
Fully Stocked

—WITH—
FLOUR, BAGGING AND TIES,
(Bought in Car lots)

Sugar at Refiner's Prices. A Full Line of GROCERIES at Wholesale and Retail. Buying goods in large quantities, we are fully prepared to meet the closest competition in PRICES.

—IN OUR—

DRY-GOODS
Department

We are carrying a first-class stock of Staple Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Clothing, etc.

We have a larger stock and better assortment of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Shoes than heretofore, and our



For Men and Boys cannot be excelled as to Style, quality and price.

Everything at BOTTOM PRICES. We also buy cotton. Consignments of cotton solicited. Highest market guaranteed and returns rendered promptly.

Best & Thompson,
Goldsboro, N. C.

EARLY FALL

Dress Goods!

—AT—
M. E. CASTEX & CO.'S

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED

a nice new line of Goods for early Fall Trade, and all who need new

Goods for School, or dress can find the best selections and the newest styles in our store on West Centre street.

School Wear

WE ESPECIALLY—
recommend our fine twilled serge at 60 cts. which we have in medium and dark shades.

WE ALSO HAVE—
some pretty, elegant styles in diagonal and striped suitings, H-niettas and silks; Also evening shades.

THE FEATHERBONE



CORSET!

Is the best, and fully warranted on thirty days' trial: if not satisfactory the money will be refunded.

M. E. CASTEX & CO.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I gave up the agency of the Wilmington Steam Laundry for the purpose of encouraging the Chinaman recently located here; but desire to state that if there is any in Goldsboro that desire to send their work out of the city, then I shall in the future represent the Oak City Steam Laundry of Raleigh, and will guarantee satisfaction.

If you want to give your work to the Chinaman I will receive same and turn it over to him and send you receipt for same.

C. P. GRIFFIN.

Notice.

A. & N. C. R. R. CO.
TREASURER'S OFFICE,
NEWBERN, N. C., Sept. 8, 1892.

DIVIDEND OF 2 PER CENT.

on the capital stock of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad Company will be paid at the Treasurer's office, on and after the first day of October, 1892, to stockholders of record on the 22nd of August, 1892. F. C. ROBERTS, TREASURER.

COLLIE PUPS

Now ready. Can be seen Monday morning in front of Mayor's office at home.

R. C. FREEMAN.

\$2.00, \$3.00, \$2.00, \$2.00, \$2.00, \$2.00 will buy the best hat in the world.

EINSTEIN CLOTHING CO.

I ALWAYS SELL!

Some may ask the question: "Why do you?" Because my prices are cheap for good goods! Calicoes 3 to 6c; yard wide dress goods, 10c per yard; Gingham, 6c to 10c per yard; Challies and Lawns, 24c per yard; all Summer goods very low; dress goods worth 10c, at 6c; Bedford Corda, 6c; Socks, 5c; Stockings, 5c; Bed Ticking, 9c to 18c per yard; yard wide Home-apron, 5c per yard.

SHOES!

Children's, 20c. to \$1.50, Men's Congress and Bals 85 cents to \$4.00; Ladies' Button and Lace, 75c. to \$2.25. HATS all kinds, just received, at any price. Call and see them to-day.

CLASS WARE.

200 styles of Glass Ware; butter dish sugar dish, spoon holder and cream pitcher, only 25c; Water set, 6 tumblers, pitcher and waiter, only 69c; castor, complete only \$1.

GROCERIES.

Cakes and candy 10c per pound, rice 5c per pound, sugar 5c, starch 5c, 29-ounce bar soap 5c, good coffee 16c. All kinds lamp goods cheap.

Give me a call.

F. B. EDMUNDSON.

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ON HAND AGAIN

A BIG JOB LOT OF TOBACCO LOW-
ER THAN EVER BEFORE.

Just Look Here

Job 9 inch twist, 5's, worth 20 cts. only 13 cts. Job 9 inch, 4 twist, worth 20 cts. only 15 cts. Mail Punch, worth 25 cts. only 15 cts. Bright Plain Twist worth 25 cts. only 20 cts.

Tobacco.

We have an extraordinary large lot of Job Lot Tobacco that we are selling at prices that were never heard of before in this city. We can offer you plain and fancy tobacco from 13 to 60 cents per pound.

Cigars.

Common Cigars one cent, good ones two cents, fine ones 34 cts. Lorillard, Gail & Ax and Railroad Mills Souffle as low as any one, Miller's Souffle 20 cents per pound. The above are slaughter prices, but I am determined to lead.

Dry goods.

I also deal in Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Notions, Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, Patent Medicines. I WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD.

NOTHING BUT THE SPOT

CASH WILL MOVE THESE GOODS

The Hustler,

ED. L. EDMUNDSON

Opposite Hill's drug store Walnut St Goldsboro, N. C.

EXPERIENCE

May Have Taught

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That many things are not what they seem

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EXPERIENCE WILL TEACH

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That the goods named in this list are of the highest quality obtainable.

Obelisk Flour!

Farris' Delicious Hams and Bacon.

Seal Brand Coffee.

Crusade Blend Coffee

Extra Choice Formosa Oolong Tea.

Extra Choice Gun Powder Tea.

He-No Tea, Orloff Tea (blended).

Royal Gem Nassock Tea

Battle's & Dunbar & Butter

Royal Baking Powder.

Triple Extracts.

Shandon Bells Toilet Soap.

EVAPORATED APPLES!

Jirid Cherries (pitted).

Dried Peaches, Etc., Etc.

Prices, as low as same grades can be had anywhere.

I do not attempt to compete with low price trashy goods; but if you want quality come to me.

L. B. FONVIELLE.

For West Centre and Chestnut Sts.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castor's

WE REPEAT!

A trial will prove the superiority of our goods, and you have undoubtedly found out that we are Rock Bottom in Prices; always looking carefully to the wants and interests of our patrons. We receive regular, weekly shipments of Flag Marsh Rocky Mount Butter, and have an increasing demand for our Vermont Creamery, fresh from the churn. As 'tis applicable just here, would call your attention to the

BEST ON EARTH

A brand of Flour we have control of for this city, and those wanting the Best on Earth can be supplied by us. Flour with us being a specialty, buying in large quantities for cash, we are prepared to give you benefit in that product. Our line of Tea, Coffee and Spices is complete and we would call special attention to and ask a trial of our Blended Coffee (Java, Maccabao and Mocha). Breakfast Cocoa and Bakers Chocolate. We are assigned to does not matter, your patronage for anything you may wish to eat. We endeavor to keep a full supply of

POTTED MEATS

Ham Tongue, English Brawn, boneless Pig Feet, Chip Beef, French Cakes and American Sardines. Listen to our delivery wagon-man's call and kindly give him an order for anything you wish, remembering we guarantee all goods as represented. AT YOUR SERVICE.

Bizzell Bros. & Co.

Wholesale and Retail Fancy Grocers.

April 27-92.

Ginn's Grocery.

HAVING RECENTLY CHANGED my business to that of Groceries exclusively, I invite the public to seek my corner store, on John and Market street when in need of

Fresh Groceries,

N. C. Hams, Spring Chickens

—AND—

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

I keep a full stock of everything when you can't find anything you want anywhere else, be sure you will find it at my corner grocery. Respectfully,

J. T. GINN.

apl.12-12.

20 Car Loads

Fresh Goods.

One Car Meat,

One Car Arrow Ties,

One Car Seed Rice,

One Car Fine Salt,

One Car Choice Timothy Hay,

One Car Rock Lime,

One Car Laths,

One Car Rice Meal,

One Car Sugar (all grades).

—ALSO—

One Car Bagging,

One Car Heavy Bags,

One Car Coffee,

One Car Bran,

One Car Coarse Salt,

One Car Mixed Hay,

One Car Plaster and Cement,

One Car Fed Salt,

One Car Fed Oats,

One Car Cow Feed.

—ALSO—

Rump Pork, Hams, Lard, Starch,

Pepper, Rice, Matches, Brooms,

Soup, Soda, Tobacco, Snuff, Empty Grain Sacks, Buckets, etc. All above for sale at rock bottom prices by

B. M. PRIVETT.

Wholesale and Retail Grocer and Cotton Commission Merchant.

LADIES' OXFORD TIES.

WE HAVE

TO-DAY RECEIVED AN

OTHER LOT OF

W. L. DOUGLAS' OXFORD TIES!

FOR LADIES.

A NUMBER OF

LADIES HAVE

BEEN WAITING

FOR THEM

BETTER

COME QUICK,

THEY ARE

GOING FAST.

Respectfully,

HOOD & BRITT.

Too Many

BOYS' SHIRT WAISTS,

That's the Trouble.

WE BOUGHT LARGELY AND

Sold largely, but there still remains quite a number which we are going to dispose of

TO-DAY AND TO-MOR